

FORECAST—Fresh southwest winds, mostly cloudy and mild with rain squalls. Saturday, southeast winds, mild, continuing unsettled.

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The War Today

By GUY RHOADES

PUZZLE
The presence of Italian warships in the locality where part of the Royal Navy's Mediterranean fleet attacked them Wednesday remained a puzzle today, but there seemed at least two possible answers.

The Italians might have been seeking to prevent British convoys from reaching Malta or Greece with supplies, or they might have been conveying ships of their own with supplies shipped overland across nonbelligerent Spain.

It was noted, however, that neither the Admiralty statement describing the rout of the Italians, nor the extravagant Italian accounts of the affair, made any mention of merchant ships being in the neighborhood. That, of course, does not necessarily mean they were not there.

TWO-WAR ERROR
It is highly probable that Italy has been attempting or will attempt to get supplies via Spain, for the Italians appear to have stepped into two wars with thoroughly depleted stocks of everything needed to keep at least the home front in operation.

The United States Department of Agriculture issued an illuminating report today, predicting the Italians faced a winter with a great number of the poorer classes already suffering from malnutrition.

Mussolini's people appeared in an additionally tough spot because they can import very little agricultural produce from their neighbors. Their ally, Germany, has taken care to collar all the surplus these other European countries can release.

2000 "CAESARS"
Il Duce, apparently imbued with the conquering spirit of Julius Caesar and equipped with old Mother Hubbard's cupboard, seems to have discovered that guns and butter do not come together.

It is interesting also to note the reports of feeble Italian resistance to the Greeks and the reports of Italian prisoners desperately trying to give away their money in return for food. They are often described as emaciated and hungry. That may be one of the reasons for their poor showing.

COSTLY
If Mussolini can pay the price, undoubtedly food could be shipped into Spain, because Spain is not subjected to blockade.

Supplies could be unloaded at west coast Spanish ports, moved by rail across Spain and re-shipped from eastern Spanish ports.

Lakeside Hotel Burns

DUNCAN, B.C. (CP)—A midnight fire believed to have been caused by faulty electric wiring destroyed the Lakeside Hotel at Lake Cowichan, B.C., last night. The proprietors, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Graves, and two guests, escaped unharmed.

And Is Duce's Map Red Now!



Il Duce made the embarrassing mistake of putting his cartographers ahead of the Italian warhorse when he ordered this huge map displayed in Rome's Piazza Colonna at beginning of the invasion of Greece. It shows Greece, conquered, already incorporated into Greater Italy.

Final Bulletins

22 TRAPPED IN COAL MINE

BRITISH BAG 5

LONDON (CP)—Five axis planes were shot down over Britain today, the Air Ministry announced tonight. The R.A.F. lost two fighter planes, but both pilots are safe.

London's first alarm of the day came about noon. It lasted half an hour.

War Statement

OTTAWA (CP)—A statement by Prime Minister Mackenzie King on the progress of the war will probably be made to the Commons Monday, it was learned this afternoon.

Tin-canning Banned

VANCOUVER (CP)—Any attempt at "tin-canning" by the estimated 1,000 single unemployed men in Vancouver will meet with vigorous police action, says Acting Chief of Police Donald McKay.

Bar to Marriages

OTTAWA (CP)—Subalterns and warrant officers in the Canadian Active Service Force not yet 20 can marry only with the consent of their commanding officers, it was announced this afternoon. The ruling came into effect under a routine order.

The warning was issued as the result of a parade through downtown streets by a small group

SECRET TRIAL.

Trial of Albert Miller, Vancouver, charged under the Defence of Canada Regulations, opened before Magistrate Henry C. Hall in City Police Court this morning.

The trial is being held in camera at the request of Crown counsel, M. B. Jackson, K.C., the first to be heard in camera here.

Miller is charged with making statements between August 12 and 15 likely to prejudice the recruiting, training, discipline and administration of His Majesty's forces.

Jehovah's Witness Captured by Police

VANCOUVER—Mounties, provincial and city police who have been scouring the country for them during the last 10 days, have caught their first Jehovah's Witness.

He is Fred Young, 35, of 4206 Rumble Street, New Westminster. Captured at 1 a.m. in possession of a pamphlet, "End of Nazism," he has been remanded by Magistrate Gillies until next Wednesday.

The combined police forces are also looking for other Jehovah's Witnesses, who distributed the pamphlet in Victoria and the island as well as on the mainland, with orders to jail any on sight, as under war regulations issued at Ottawa it is now illegal to be a Jehovah's Witness in Canada.

AN OLDIE REVEALED—The 50th pilot who shot down the Nazi raider who dropped explosives at Buckingham Palace a few weeks ago, is revealed as P.O. Keith Ogilvie of Ottawa. P.O. Ogilvie has several relatives in Montreal. He has received a letter of congratulation from Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands, an eye-witness of the air raid.

Berlin Fears Axis Crisis Looming in Mediterranean

R.A.F. Goes Back for a Look at Taranto



formation over southwestern Albania yesterday.

"Our aircraft at once attacked, and in less than a minute seven enemy aircraft were shot down," the communiqué said.

Greek information from the front suggested that defeat of an Italian "regiment of death"—picked Fascists sworn to die rather than retreat—may have been greater than at first reported, and that the Italians may be in full flight up the coast.

This front, in the region of Argirocastro, Italy's last remaining advanced base, which the Greeks have been threatening, admittedly was the centre of the "most serious resistance," and it was acknowledged the Italians still were counterattacking at some points.

There was no indication of the fate of Argirocastro or other towns in the path of the Greek advance.

Greek Forces Consolidating

On the centre and north sectors, Greek forces were said to be consolidating their gains to avoid the danger of stretching their lines too thin in mountains easily snowlocked.

(Reports at the Jugoslav border town of Bitoli said the Italians had counter-charged heavily in the Pogradec sector and that there was sharp fighting southeast of the town, 20 miles north of fallen Koritza, last night.)

British Planes Attacked Repeatedly

LONDON (CP)—Attacks by British naval planes on the Dodecanese island of Lero and on the Libyan port of Tripoli were reported today by the Admiralty.

A communiqué said fires were started in the waterfront area of Port Laki, on Lero, and a ship was hit.

Another ship was hit at Tripoli, it reported, and fires started there were visible from 60 miles away.

Italians Claim Many Bomb Hits

ROME (AP)—The Italian high command issued the following communiqué Friday:

"On the Greek front yesterday the Ferrara, Siena and Centaur divisions of the 11th Army counterattacked and broke off an enemy attempt at infiltration. There was nothing particular on the 9th Army's front.

(The Greeks announced local gains in yesterday's fighting.)

"About 300 planes of our air

formations bombed centres of communication lines, repeatedly hitting objectives, especially in the Erseke and Sapiki zones, causing explosions and fires. A gasoline depot at Erseke was machine-gunned and set afire.

"Other air formations bombed and ineffective. Our ships suffered no damage.

(Greek communiques said no damage was caused by the naval bombardment and that the ships retired when Greek aircraft appeared.)

Anything Can Happen

VANCOUVER—a young man with soap and towel appeared at the door of a Point Grey house and asked permission to enter and take a bath.

Another young man appeared on the back platform of a Broadway Street car and called out the names of the passing streets.

Another sold bottled soap and water under a fancy trade name to a man who swore that the mixture had done wonders for his wife.

The youths are all pledges, undergoing initiation into exclusive fraternities at the University of British Columbia.

"About 300 planes of our air

Beard 'Beaching' Explained in House

OTTAWA (CP)—Cndr. Charles Beard was retired on sick leave from his post as officer commanding the auxiliary cruiser Prince Robert on the unanimous opinion of medical men who examined him, the naval minister, Hon. Angus Macdonald told the House of Commons this afternoon.

He answered a question from Dr. Herbert Bruce, Conservative, Toronto-Parkdale, a distinguished surgeon who, after Mr. Macdonald's statement, said as a professional man he concurred in the decision taken by the naval authorities.

Dr. Bruce said there had been

much discussion about the "beaching" of the officer who was in command when the Prince Robert captured the German freighter Wesser off the west coast of Mexico. The Conservative member asked for the result of any medical investigation.

Mr. Macdonald said Cndr. Beard was retired in April, 1939, as being in category E. The medical examiner then said his general physical condition was good but he suffered from a slight cardiac atrophy, high blood pressure and some rigidity of the spine.

In May, 1939, a medical board was held at Esquimalt and gave the opinion: Cndr. Beard's disability was due to naval service, in part to an injury suffered while in charge of a bathing party in the Mediterranean.

"That is why we really should have more money," he said. "We have hundreds of volunteers in our A.R.P. organization but our people are working 14 and 16 hours a day to protect us. You couldn't possibly cut the police budget."

(See Story of A.R.P. Plans on

Page 10.)

U.S.-British Deal Urged for Pacific

WASHINGTON (AP)—Several Harvard Law School professors, among them Dean M. Landis, are urging that the United States acquire or use British Oriental possessions, thereby reducing Great Britain's war debt to this country.

In a letter to Senator William King (Democrat), Utah, the Harvard men also appeal for a complete embargo against Japan, re-marking its supremacy in the Far East "might result, if successful, in the necessity of the United States maintaining a wartime military and naval establishment, the elimination of our foreign trade and the impossibility of the United States enforcing the Monroe Doctrine."

Recommending "all aid to China," the letter proposes providing "gratis, if necessary, munitions to enable China to fight."

"We should arrange with Great Britain to share or assume control of the Singapore naval base and other British bases in the East, so far as practicable from the point of view of naval strategy," the letter said.

3 in Plane Burned Up-island

Three persons were burned today when a Ginger Coote Airways plane piloted by Jack Haines and carrying five passengers caught fire in midair and made a forced landing near Newcastle Island, just off Nanaimo harbor.

The injured were taken off by another machine piloted by Bob Goldie, who alighted, took them aboard and taxied across the water to Nanaimo. Pilot Haines and two other passengers remained with the burning aircraft until it was beached and they could scramble to safety.

Those injured were William E. Parker and John Steeves, both of Vancouver, and Fred Luditt of Zebulon, where the plane was bound.

GOES FROM VICTORIA

Mrs. Robert Fosker, 198 Flora Road, View Royal, and Mrs. Ivan Wood, 1917 Shakespeare Street, Victoria, are sisters of Mr. Luditt. Mrs. Fosker telephoned this afternoon and was told her brother's injuries were quite serious. She made plans to leave immediately for Nanaimo to nurse him, being a graduate of the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

The two passengers who remained with Pilot Haines were Sam Craig and Sid Palmer.

It was not known how badly Barker and Steeves were burned, although Barker was said to have suffered most with injuries to his hands, face and body.

The rescue plane was bound for Port Alberni, another settlement on the west coast of Vancouver Island. No passengers were reported on it.

B.C. Was in Danger Of Attack Within

Attorney-General Wismer revealed to the Legislature last night that secret police reports showed that British Columbia had been in danger of attack from within the country.

"Our reports indicated there were several thousand enemies in the province from whom action might be expected any minute—particularly if we were attacked from without," Mr. Wismer said when he rejected Conservative demands that his expenditure estimates be reduced.

"What have we to deal with the situation—just a handful of policemen. We need \$500,000 more for police to deal with the situation adequately," he declared.

Mr. Wismer said that working on the information supplied by secret police he had gone to O-

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Guild of Friendship presents concert Tuesday, December 3 Memorial Hall, 8 p.m. Proceeds Cathedral Sewing Circle sending comforts overseas. ***

Ladies' Aid Church of Our Lord will hold Christmas bazaar Wednesday, December 4, in Bridge Memorial Hall, Humboldt and Blanchard. ***

Overseas League Annual Meeting — Monday, December 2, at 3 p.m. Empress Hotel. ***

Spencer's W.A. dance, Tuesday, December 3, in the Chamber of Commerce. Dancing 9 to 1 to Len Acre's orchestra. Tickets 50¢ each. Proceeds for the purchase of wool for war work. ***

St. Mary's Women's Guild Christmas bazaar, Tuesday, December 3, St. Mary's Hall, Yale Street, Oak Bay, 2:30 to 6 p.m. Many attractions. ***

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British Planes Over Stettin

U-Boat Yards Blasted by R.A.F.

LONDON (CP) — British bombers struck last night at German plants producing the submarines which prey on Britain's shipping, the Air Ministry disclosed today.

The submarine shipbuilding yard at Stettin, on the Baltic Sea, and a factory at Mannheim which turns out U-boat engines were chief targets of the Royal Air Force's thrusts into Germany.

The ministry's news service said the bombers made a round trip of 1,300 miles in the raid on Stettin and on a synthetic oil plant at Politz.

Duesseldorf, industrial city in western Germany, was another point concentrated on by R.A.F.

The first bomber over Politz started fires immediately, the ministry said and one observer counted 12, while another noted eight "as a result of his own bombing."

"One very heavy explosion" at the Stettin U-boat plant "ripped buildings and stores," it was stated, and "much damage" was reported. "A late arrival came away well satisfied with a great blaze he had kindled in the very centre of the target."

Terming the attack on Mannheim a "side-blow" at the German navy, the ministry said fires and explosions occurred there, while

railways in the Rhineland had a "warm night."

Attacks were also made on the Channel ports of Antwerp, Boulogne and Le Havre," said the ministry's communiqué.

Other targets bombed last night included the docks at Cuxhaven, railway communications in western Germany, military storehouses near Mainz and the air-dromes at Coblenz and Eindhoven.

"Two of our aircraft are missing."

GERMAN CLAIMS

BERLIN (AP) — The German high command's communiqué to-day said:

"Last night several British planes dropped explosives and incendiary bombs on northern and western Germany. Considerable property damage was done to several houses. Fires were quickly drenched. One bomb hit an army hospital."

The Joe's losses yesterday totaled 13 planes, 11 by air fights and two by anti-aircraft and naval artillery. Four of our planes are missing."

Six British fighters were lost over Britain yesterday while two bombers failed to return from the night's offensive operations. Five German planes were shot down over Britain yesterday.)

Guardists Attempt Coup

Many Rumanians Slain in Fighting

BUDAPEST (AP) — Heavy loss of life has resulted from severe fighting in the Rumanian cities of Turnu Severin, Craiova and Brasov, where the Iron Guard sought to seize power, reports filtering across the Hungarian border said tonight.

The fighting was said to have resulted from Guardist attempts to take possession of public buildings. All three cities are in the Transylvanian district.

The reports said that in spite of drastic measures taken by Premier General Ion Antonescu following Wednesday's purge of more than 64 of the Iron Guard's political foes there had been no improvement of the situation in Rumania.

Antonescu was reported to have ordered the army to stand by, but the guard was understood to have secret stores of weapons.

Both ships were reported carrying limited cargoes of fuel and provisions.

These ships were among four which tried unsuccessfully to dash to sea November 15, when the crew of the 4,137-ton Phrygia scuttled her.

Youthful King Quits Capitol

AT THE HUNGARIAN RU-

MANIAN FRONTIER (AP) — Re-

ports reaching here from Buch-

arest tonight said that King

Michael had left the Rumanian

capital, which was being guarded

by increasing numbers of Ger-

man and Rumanian troops.

Some reports said Michael was

headed for the Yugoslav frontier,

others that he was on the out-

skirts of the city, waiting for the

situation to clear.

Ship Sights U-Boat

NEW YORK (AP) — The 5,082-ton British steamship Harpasa reported in a message picked up by Mackay Radio today that a submarine was approaching her about 500 miles southwest of the Irish coast.

"We will try to keep track of her to see what happens," the message added.

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tish forces approached. One British ship was damaged while damage was inflicted on the enemy.

The Germans claimed their warships returned unsathed to their bases.

Navy Brush in Channel

Enemy Vessels Flee to Brest

LONDON (CP) — An admiralty communiqué today said:

"In the early hours of this morning contact was made in the English Channel between our light forces and those of the enemy."

The enemy units retired at high speed towards Brest, pursued by our forces. It is known that one of our units sustained damage.

A report has been received that damage was inflicted on the enemy, but the extent of this is not yet known with sufficient certainty to enable an announcement to be made.

Further details will be made known as soon as possible."

GERMAN VERSION

BERLIN (AP) — The German high command issued this communiqué Friday:

"German destroyers undertook a thrust toward the western exit of the (English) Channel close to the English coast. A skirmish developed with an English destroyer. We succeeded in torpedoing two enemy destroyers. Other German destroyers sank two steamers of 9,000 and 3,000 tons in addition to two smaller enemy vessels on the English south coast."

The British Admiralty announced that the German vessels "retired at high speed" when Brit-

ish forces approached. One British ship was damaged while damage was inflicted on the enemy.

The Germans claimed their warships returned unsathed to their bases.

Jessie Livermore Shoots, Kills Self

NEW YORK (AP) — Jessie L. Livermore, former "Boy Wonder of Wall Street," who made \$10,000,000 from a \$10 stake — only to go bankrupt four times — lay in death today, having left a note recording that at the age of 62 he was "tired of fighting."

With a revolver he shot and killed himself late yesterday as he sat in an easy chair in an anteroom of the fashionable Sherry-Netherland Hotel.

The former office boy, who made himself the terror of less talented market operators, had been observed by hotel attendants making numerous notations in a small memorandum book a short time earlier.

In the book police found an eight-page message addressed to "Dear Nina," a pet name for his wife, Harriet. Signed "Laurie," an abbreviation of his second name, Lauriston, the note concluded: "I can't go on."

LUNCH AND DRINKS

He had eaten lunch at the hotel's bar, spending about two hours over the meal and writing in the book. Several hours later he returned, had several drinks, made a few more entries in the book and then went to the anteroom of the washroom.

bombers dive-bombed a formation of three six-inch-gun cruisers of the Condottieri class (7,874 tons). Two very near misses were obtained, and it appears that one of the enemy cruisers was damaged.

The statement covers Wednesday afternoon's fight off the island of Sardinia.

The British press today was jubilant over the victory. Typical headlines were:

The London Daily Mail: "Big British naval victory."

The Daily Herald: "Duce's navy smashed again."

The Daily Express: "Six Italian planes hit as they raced away."

British Planes Raid Dodecanese

The Admiralty's statement tells how, during the course of the chase, which was carried to within a few miles of the coast, British planes from the aircraft carrier Ark Royal attacked repeatedly.

"One force of Swordfish aircraft carried out torpedo attacks on the enemy battleships and one torpedo was seen to hit a 35,000-ton battleship of the new and powerful Littorio class," the communiqué reported. (The Littorio ships carry nine 15-inch guns.)

"Another force of Swordfish attacked an enemy unit consisting of three eight-inch-gun cruisers, one torpedo hit was almost certainly obtained on the rear ship—a 10,000-ton ship of the Bolzano class—and the leading ship of this formation was observed to have reduced speed immediately after this attack."

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**PAUL F. BREDT, 57,
DIES IN CALGARY**

CALGARY (CP) — Paul F. Bredt, 57, of Winnipeg, president of the Canadian Co-operative Wheat Producers Ltd., and three years ago was chosen president of the company. He remained with his family on the farm at Kemnay until three years ago, when they moved to Winnipeg. He is survived by his wife and three children, Anna, William and Malcolm, all at home.

An honor graduate in agriculture of the University of Manitoba, a successful practical farmer and for years a leader in farm organizations, Mr. Bredt collapsed shortly after completing an address to delegates attending the annual convention of the Alberta Wheat Pool.

Mr. Bredt was born in Leipzig, Germany, came with his family to Canada when he was 14 years old, was graduated from the University of Manitoba in 1914, appointed assistant livestock commissioner for the Saskatchewan government. Within a short time he was named commissioner and held that post until 1919, when he took over a farm at Kemnay,

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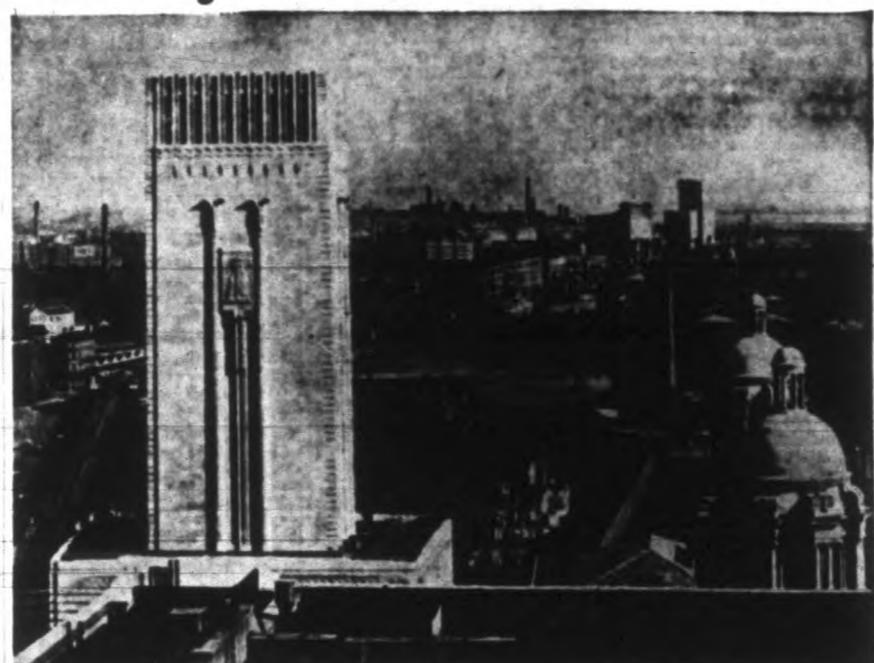
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Merseyside Has Heaviest Night Attack

Liverpool Shelters Many Raid Homeless



BOMB MAIN ATTACK—When Nazi air raiders struck at Liverpool last night, a police station, theatre, flats and a bank were among the buildings seriously damaged.

LIVERPOOL (CP) — Relief workers provided food and shelter today for many families bombed out of their homes overnight in the worst German air assault on the Merseyside.

Many homes were demolished, but relief work began even while the bombs were falling and most of the homeless were fed and established in new quarters while the raid was still in progress.

Wave after wave of raiders swept inland from the Irish Sea and spread over the northwest area.

At several points in Liverpool rescue workers dug in wreckage for victims trapped in their bombed homes. A number of persons were believed buried under tons of debris at one place. Two were killed in a direct hit on one public shelter.

**Windows Broken
By the Thousands**

In many streets there was not a window left intact in buildings and residences.

One district of Liverpool which was heavily attacked in the first days of the concentrated attacks on the Merseyside area was most seriously damaged.

Air Raid Protection officials said many persons would be transferred from this area to accommodations elsewhere because of damage to their homes.

A police station, a movie theatre, a block of flats and a bank were among the damaged buildings, but casualties in Merseyside were described as "amazingly slight in view of the length of the raid and the method of indiscriminate bombing by relays of planes."

**Fire Brigades' Speed
Praised by People**

Liverpool's populace praised the heroism and efficiency of its fire department and auxiliary fire

service which tackled fires set by uncounted incendiary bombs dropped by the first raiders and put them out before the glare could guide the following waves of bombers.

In the face of what was described as the most intense and continuous anti-aircraft barrage ever put up in the north of England, the Germans had to keep dropping flares to light their objectives.

In another northwest town a whole row of houses was crumpled and a warehouse badly damaged. However, only three casualties were reported in that area, where most of the inhabitants took shelter.

Some persons were known to have been killed in another northwest town which suffered the longest raid of the night in this area. Demolition squads tunneled into the debris this morning searching for bodies.

**Small Number
Killed in Raids**

LONDON (CP) — The Ministry of Home Security issued the following communiqué Friday afternoon:

"Later reports of last night's attacks on this country by enemy aircraft, while confirming the widespread nature of the raids, show that in two towns in the southwest the damage to residential property was somewhat more extensive than was at first indicated, but that casualties were not heavy, though they include a small number of persons killed."

By picking out Liverpool, shippping centre for the industrial Midlands, and one of Britain's great cities, for their heaviest attack last night, the Germans added another to the lengthening list of British ports recently bombed—among them Bristol, Plymouth and Southampton.

Besides "the main wave of the attack" on Merseyside, a joint

communiqué of the Air and Home

Ministries disclosed that German bombs fell on "a large number of isolated points in the southern part of England."

But nowhere outside of the Merseyside and northwest, it said, were casualties heavy, and even there "the numbers of killed or injured are not as great as might have been expected."

**Londoners Hear
Planes' Motors**

Although Londoners heard the thrum of heavy bombers' engines during their 1,000th hour under air raid alarm, the raiders passed the capital by after the early night hours and the all-clear sounded before 4 a.m., following a long period of quiet.

Three areas of London were identified officially as scenes of recent heavy air raid damage—Silvertown, east London district, which was flattened by a disastrous munitions explosion in the last war; Hackney, in northeast London, and Willesden, in the northwest.

'Darkest Hour' Cable Challenged by 'Times'

LONDON (AP)—The Times diplomatic correspondent took issue with a dispatch by Drew Middleton, Associated Press staff writer, claiming his strictures against British censorship were unfair and his description of Britain "passing through the darkest hours of the war" since Dunkirk was inaccurate.

Such a picture, the Times correspondent said, must "cause surprise on this side of the Atlantic." He said British authorities must give correspondents "all the help needed for a fair and balanced picture."

He added "it is no accident that within the past few days correspondents should in the same dispatch have criticized British censorship and then have gone straight on to paint the British position in unusually and unduly gloomy colors."

The Times said Middleton's comparison of British to French censorship was "less than fair," and argued the directness and openness of British criticism and reporting "would not have been allowed in France."

"If correspondents are to be treated supremely well here," the writer said, "it does not mean they will all send declarations home that 'everything in the garden is lovely.' British interests

wouldn't benefit if they did paint such pictures. But British authorities should give correspondents all the help needed for a fair and balanced picture. Less than the truth, or more than it, can only aid the enemy, who is ready to exploit any point for the sake of propaganda."

The Times correspondent said, however, United States correspondents were given unrivaled press facilities and added that "doors have been opened to them where British journalists have knocked in vain."

After recalling several American journalists were thrown out of Germany for daring to express independent opinions, the Times said: "The British authorities have set themselves higher standards of truth than the Germans. They have allowed much wider latitude in reporting."

Commenting on the conclusion Britain was passing through dark days, the article said "Greek courage, both at Taranto and in the air on other fields, have brought brighter prospects than would have seemed possible a few weeks ago."

By watching the steps of other couples whose hearing is normal, deaf people can dance in time to music.

QUERIES CHESTER RETIREMENT

Ottawa (CP)—Referring to reports that P. A. Chester of Winnipeg, first civilian to be master-general of the ordnance at defence headquarters, was being replaced, Karl K. Homuth, Conservative, Waterloo, Ont., asks that Parliament should be told the reason.

"For the first time in the history of Canada we have had a civilian master-general of ordnance," Mr. Homuth said in the Commons. "On several occasions I saw him with suggestions for saving money and foreign exchange and I never knew a public office more responsive to suggestions."

"Now I understand he is leaving and a newspaperman (Victor Sifton) is taking his place. I am sorry he (Mr. Chester) is going and I do feel that those of us who have had association with him are entitled to some explanation from the Minister of National Defence as to why that man is leaving the service of the government."

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10 Seek To Be Mayor of Montreal

Leonard Trepianier, lawyer, and Raoul Trepianier, labor agent. The three Trepianiers are not related. Raynauld is a former mayor of Montreal.

Fruit Imports Cui

EDMONTON (CP)—Co-operating in the Dominion government's campaign to cut down Canada's annual \$42,000,000 fruit and vegetable bill in the United States, Edmonton wholesale houses are voluntarily restricting imports of "nonessential" food commodities, according to a wholesaler spokesman.

Until "seasons or circumstances compel a change of policy," or "until housewives demand them," many delicacies from across the border will not be purchased, so that Canada can conserve dollar credits for vital war purchases in the United States, he said.

Indigo buntings are sparrows.

Elevator Additions Planned for Grain

OTTAWA (CP)—Pressing needs for additional storage space anticipated when the 1941 wheat crop comes on the market may result in the construction of extensive elevator annexes at the head of Great Lakes, according to well-informed sources here.

The various elevator companies operating on the prairies were reported today to be in negotiation with the object of co-operating in erection of additional storage space at Fort William and Port Arthur. It would be of a temporary nature similar to annexes already constructed across the prairies at country elevators.

Providing of additional storage space would be private ventures, the federal government having no direct connection with the undertaking.

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Italy in Extremis

COMPETENT OBSERVERS LONG AGO assured the world that when Mussolini drove the dagger into the back of France he felt sure Italy's part in the war would require little effort—and that little of short duration. But he has been disillusioned by this time; and now comes some startling and unvarnished facts from the United States Department of Agriculture which convey some idea of what the bombastic imitation Caesar in Rome may have to contemplate before very long.

To begin with, Washington tells us that the British Mediterranean blockade has been so effective that Italy faces winter deprived of many sorely-needed foodstuffs and agricultural raw materials; indeed, "this blockade is so effective in stopping the flow of supplies needed by Italy, that it has more severely disorganized the Italian economic structure than anything else the war has accomplished."

The department's report then proceeds to point out that at the time Britain and France declared war on Germany, Italy already was suffering from the effects of four years of conflict in Ethiopia and Spain, from the "uneconomic attempt" to achieve self-sufficiency, and from the unceasing tempo of rearmament. And be-

tween September, 1939, and the day Il Duce used the stiletto on his neighbor, the Allied blockade against Germany naturally had prevented Italy from replenishing already depleted stocks of vital raw materials. Says the Washington departmental report:

"It was under this economic burden, with little or no reserves of vital agricultural products, especially of cotton, wool, rubber, cereals, oil seeds and meats, that Italy entered the war on June 10, 1940. Lack of fats, oils, meats—the three food products in which Italy is most deficient—may become more serious as the British blockade continues. In this case the Italian people may expect much stricter rations and possibly five or six meatless days."

The foregoing are only some of the conclusions which the United States Department of Agriculture has reached in consequence of its survey of the general economic situation in Italy. They are worth particular consideration because Washington's statistical branches of the public service are not concerned with propaganda. These revelations, incidentally, enable us to read the news which comes out of Albania with more than ordinary pleasure. One of these days Virginio Gayda will have to call in some of those parts of the British Commonwealth which he distributed with such a lavish hand only a week or so ago.

Known By His Works

REV. ARTHUR DEB. OWEN DIED YES-
terday, at the age of 74, after an illness of nearly three years. Many folk in Victoria and in the surrounding districts knew him—knew him well. They grew accustomed to seeing him on the streets, riding his bicycle, and more often than not the "carrier" suspended from the handlebars was full of parcels, mostly small, but frequently a larger one or two. He was on his "rounds."

These packages were destined for some needy family or some worthy soul requiring material as well as spiritual comfort. Nor did his humanitarian labors end on a schedule; he had responded to a call many times after he had donned his slippers at the end of a trying day. Somebody needed him and what that somebody thought he might be able to take with him. He seldom failed. Arthur DEB. Owen was a good man—a plain, sincere man. Many have missed him these last three years.

Worrying the Invaders

THREE NORWEGIANS HAVE BEEN sentenced to death for radioing information to Britain.—Citizens of other Nazi-occupied territory are regarded as suspect and have received a warning to do as they are told or take the consequences. How many objectors to totalitarian tyranny have been "liquidated" in the most approved Berlin style we do not know. What is clear, however, is that Czechoslovakians, Poles, Danes, Norwegian, Hollanders, Belgians and a substantial part of the population of France will lose no opportunity of increasing the difficulties with which Hitler's Gauleiters in temporarily-dominated states are faced.

If we may mix a fine metaphor in true Irish style it is not extravagant to suggest that the Fifth Column is now on the other foot. Put it this way: Hitler takes over a country, with the aid of sympathizers within, who sabotage and disorganize defense. But those people were only a minority, after all. There is an even greater minority, perhaps a large majority, of people who are not fond either of Nazis or Germans, and who bitterly and sullenly resent the occupation of their fatherland by alien troops, no matter how polite and ingratiating the invaders are instructed to be. As the initial shock wears off, these people begin to turn their resentment into deeds, small and unorganized at first, but later more daring and better organized, which tend to undermine the occupying forces.

The three Norwegians to whom we refer were obviously caught in the net of re-

sponding to this natural impulse: they are the real patriots who consider themselves in the front line of this battle between right and wrong. Similarly in Denmark, one air raid in particular suggested "inside collaboration." There were four oil tanks in this town, and air raiders concentrated on only two of them, ignoring the other two. They were empty. Repressive measures have had to be taken by the invaders against the Dutch for "nonco-operation," and there are rumors that extensive sabotage has taken place in the Skoda munitions works seized from the Czechs after Munich. (This 400 acre plant recently has been severely pounded by Royal Air Force bombing squadrons.)

Such things may be repressed. But repression tends to destroy whatever good effect has come from studied efforts to mollify the population of conquered territories. Not that any of the conquered territories are ripe for an uprising against the conquerors. That is highly unlikely, even if food should become scarce this winter. But the position of the German armies of occupation can scarcely be pleasant, and the efficiency of producers working without a shadow of incentive or hope cannot be of the highest. Meanwhile, a gradually-organizing opposition, spying, sabotaging in every conquered country is a distinct possibility.

Vital Targets

OF SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE IS THE British Air Ministry's report of another two-hour bombing attack on the railway network at both ends of the huge Hohenzollern Bridge which spans the Rhine at Cologne. Most of the traffic to countries which Germany has overrun must pass this way: the structure carries two double track lines and a broad highway and it is the only one of its kind between Dusseldorf and Coblenz. Cologne's postwar Hindenburg Bridge is not equipped for railway traffic.

Constant attacks on the rail and canal system in the whole Westphalian area do not lend themselves to spectacular description; but even apparently insignificant disturbance to traffic in the Rhineland and all that territory lying north, south and east imposes ever-increasing problems on the high command's job of moving vital supplies—especially the gasoline for its air force in the occupied countries. And, of course, the more the Royal Air Force compels Hitler to use his much-vaunted Autobahnen, the less gasoline is available for his airplanes.

How much longer the Hohenzollern Bridge at Cologne will remain intact is a matter on which it is of little value to speculate. No doubt the docks at the south of the city already have tasted medicine similar to that which Goering's men have been meting out to Liverpool, Southampton and Plymouth. But the damage to the Reich's internal transportation systems which the R.A.F. has caused is relatively a great deal more serious so far than that suffered by communities on Britain's coasts.

Ersatz Muenchener

TWO THINGS MOST PEOPLE THOUGHT of in connection with a Germany that once enjoyed some semblance of national sanity were beer and sauerkraut. There were others, of course, but somehow these two commodities stood as a trademark of the German people; they represented badges of genuine gemutlichkeit.

The average German has not had much in the past few years. His liberties are gone, his food, including sauerkraut, has been rationed; his life is completely dominated by the state. There was only one thing that remained—something even Hitler hesitated to remove—and that was his beer. And now, it is reported, scientists in the Reich have finally found a way of making various kinds of near beer containing less than 1 per cent alcohol.

From moral and hygienic standpoints this may be good or bad. But for the world the last vestige of what was once Germany has been removed. And the Germans—well, it is a fairly good guess they are not going to like it one bit.

A French statesman says that Europe is looking for a strong boss. Yet somehow we can't believe that all the world's a stooge.

CANADIAN DEMOCRACY

From Winnipeg Free Press
Freedom of speech is everywhere acclaimed as one of the great privileges of this country, in contrast with Nazi Germany, where people are promptly put away if they speak out of turn. But what many of our people seem to value is freedom for themselves, rather than for others with different views, to whom they sometimes show a most intolerant spirit. This newspaper frequently differs with the C.C.F., but there is no justification for classing the C.C.F. with the Communists, as has been done by certain people in this country. Everyone must realize that democratic freedom is a farce unless we remember that opinions are bound to differ among free people and that we must grant to others the full right of their views whether we like them or not.

The majority of Canadians have failed to make proper use of their political privileges or to recognize their responsibility for helping to insure the successful operation of our system of government. They have taken very little part but have left the control of parties and of party principles to someone else. Many, who are very good citizens otherwise, have been largely indifferent to their political duties. That is not the way to improve political methods or raise the standard of public life.

It is simply for lack of a stronger public opinion that we still have too much government patronage; an electoral system that produces absurd results, grossly misrepresenting in the national Legislature the political divisions in the country; and one chamber of that Legislature which could not be more undemocratic than it is.

The three Norwegians to whom we refer were obviously caught in the net of re-

Bruce Hutchison

FINANCIAL EMBARRASSMENT

IT HAS JUST COME to my attention, with a horrible start, that Christmas is just a few weeks off. I should never have believed it on any lesser testimony, but now I am assured by the customary midwinter behavior of the two demons next door. Their instinct about Christmas never fails.

The little boy from next door tells me, in confidence, that he is gravely embarrassed financially this Christmas; and whereas he had anticipated making a handsome gift to his father and mother, he has only 33 cents on hand, and against that grave obligations, for it appears that he has invited his friend Wilfrid to the movies and to a milkshake.

In fact, he says, his only hope is that some relative will die and leave him a fortune, and this he cannot hope for in time to be any use for this Christmas. But for the last several days he has been observed asking the age of his two grandmothers, and it is remarkable how often he asks the state of his eldest's aunt's health. At the moment she has a severe cold and the little boy from next door says he thinks it is getting worse. Every day he is afraid it is getting worse.

He told me today, however, that his aunt's health had no real significance to him, except that he would like to inherit her sewing machine, which would be useful in making a tent next summer. A few minutes ago he came over to say that his aunt was recovering rapidly and the prospects of Christmas look black indeed. And would I have a pair of shoes he could shine for a dime? This, with the clearest intimation that if I had no shoes to shine, then it was improbable I could expect a Christmas present, or even a card, from him.

"And," he said glumly, "my grannies both are very well these days. They'll probably live to be 100 at least. And I suppose I won't even get the sewing machine for years and years."

STRANGE TALE

NOT LONG AGO I was up in the Doukhobor country of British Columbia. I talked to a number of these strange people, visited their houses and observed the ruin of their orchards, the decline of their farm lands. It all seemed pretty dull and discouraging, and the Doukhobors appeared supremely uninteresting people.

Then the other day I came by a book with the strange title of "Slava Bohu," by J. F. C. Wright, a Canadian. "Slava Bohu" means "Praise God" and is the familiar greeting of the Doukhobors. I thought the book would be rather a bore, but I read it dutifully and I found it fascinating. The story of the Doukhobors, when you look below the surface, turns out to be one of the most extraordinary in the history of our country. It takes a man like Mr. Wright, with laborious research, and with a sure gift for color, to assemble the story and then to set it down not as a dull history, but as a weird, incredible drama.

Our governments obviously have not understood the Doukhobors. The rest of us have never guessed the mental processes of these people and the curious goings on, hidden behind the wall of their foreign language and their stolid faces. Ivan Kislis fastening to death. Peter Veregin the First blown to pieces by a time bomb. Peter Veregin the Second alternately writhing in prayer and in liquor, the trek into the promised land of the Kootenays, Joe Poornhoff and his pals murdering four policemen, and underneath all this the toiling simplicity and civil disobedience of a people who thought they were following Christ even in their nudity, for "Christ came to this earth naked and if we are ashamed of our bodies we must also be ashamed of God."

And finally, as Mr. Wright shows, the great dream of a Christ-like community disintegrates, the farms run down, the community begins to dissolve and in time the Doukhobors will be only a memory, an odd chapter in our story. But well worth reading.

PRESSURE ON PRIESTLEY

"Critic" in New Statesman (London)

To many thousands of people Priestley's broadcasts had become a symbol, an assurance that all the idealistic talk about democracy and the rest of it was not just hypocrisy. I reported here not long ago that "they" were trying to get rid of Priestley because he really appealed to the common man. "Driving a wedge between the classes!"

I heard Lady X say the other day, "He ought to be stopped." Well, he tells us he was not stopped. But he made it clear that there was plenty of pressure and warned us of the real danger now—on the one side the greed and selfishness of the rich, on the other the inevitable apathy of the poor if this war is fought not as their war for the things they need, but as the war of superior people who regard the poor as a "problem"—to be neglected like other problems, until their grievances are urged by "agitators" who must, of course, be "Communists" dubbed "fifth columnists" and suppressed. That, in a nutshell, is the lesson of France. Mr. Priestley's broadcasts were at once a warning against that fatal drift and an insurance against it. That these broadcasts should stop is a national calamity, which may matter more than Dakar.

HONEYMOON'S END

Society Item from a Shreveport, La., daily

Upon the return from her wedding trip, the bride will begin housekeeping with her broom in the new home, a gift from her father.

Parodied Thoughts

But he, knowing their thoughts, said unto them, Every kingdom divided against itself is brought to desolation; and a house divided against its house falleth.—Luke 12:17.

Men's hearts ought not to be set against one another, but set with one another, and all against evil only.—Cyril,

Elmore Philpott

ITALY FIRST

LESLIE HORE-BELISHA, who is the most aggressive of British younger statesmen not included in the present government, demands an early knock-out offensive against Italy. He believes that the debacle in Greece sets the stage nicely in Italy itself for a British attack which might shorten the war by years.

What chances are there that such an attack might succeed at this time?

I have repeatedly written my own opinion that, when the time comes for us to attack, the obvious place to strike at is Italy. Nor does it seem sensible to anticipate that when we do attack we will bother about armies relatively stranded in North Africa, nor on the eastern shores of the Adriatic. Italy herself is wide open to attack. Unless all my information is unfounded, the state of public opinion is such that Italians would welcome an invading British army if they were reasonably assured that such an army could finally release them from the clutches of Hitler.

But talk of an offensive at this time seems to me to border on the ridiculous. It ignores not only an important but a vital fact. TOO SOON TO ATTACK

Britain is still fighting, not so much to free the world from the Nazi curse, but for her own very survival. In the British House of Commons, Arthur Greenwood stated bluntly that the submarine sinkings had now reached the peak of April, 1917. I cannot see how the Royal Navy can at one and the same time muster all the strength that must be applied to the life and death task of beating the undersea assassins and also undertake the large scale job of conveying and convoying an army strong enough to knock out the lesser gangster, now nearing the end of his tether in Rome.

Moreover, even if an army could be landed in Italy, it would be necessary to take into account not only what the Italians would do, but also how the Nazis would react. Hitler's army is still supreme on land—and what worries him to the point of infuriation right now is that between his army and those other lands which he must get if he is to survive, much less win, there are intervening gaps of water. For us to invade Italy in a really full dress landing would simply be to supply Hitler with a much-desired battlefield to demonstrate his unbroken strength in one element.

In my opinion, the ports will have to be taken over unless they are handed over amicably. If the Nazi sea blockade succeeds there will be no more "Irish question," as every honest Irishman knows. Hitler will give the answer. We are all fighting for our national lives whether we admit it or not. Unless we act accordingly we shall pay the forfeit.

Mad Scene

There was a scene of anger in the Legislature yesterday; not the usual brief anger that wears itself out quickly, but an anger that was searing and rather terrible to witness.

The scene was between Minister of Agriculture Macdonald and Ralph Bruhn, Minister of Public Works in the Tolmie administration. The subject was roads. Dr. Macdonald, who usually sticks to agriculture, was in the argument, because Mr. Bruhn said the doctor, who used to live in the Okanagan, wanted all the roads there.

Mr. Macdonald talked about a letter Mr. Bruhn had written. He didn't like what was in the letter. He said a Britisher would never have done it—which was unkind, and hardly fair, because Swedish-born Mr. Bruhn has proved himself a good Canadian.

Mr. Bruhn says every year it is useless to deny there is patronage in connection with B.C.'s roads. He said it again yesterday. Dr. Macdonald, who was fighting

BISHOP AND WITNESSES

To the Editor:—I am afraid the Bishop is not correct when he speaks of the "Witnesses of Jehovah and their Soviatic clientele."

In their pamphlet, "Face the Facts," published legally in 1938, they state on page 12: "In 1917, Satan brought forth in Russia a Communist or Bolshevik government, which was the first appearance of a totalitarian rule, and which opposes God and His kingdom. It declares that the state is the supreme power, and it persecutes those who serve God and Christ Jesus." In this same pamphlet they refer to a letter written by a Catholic priest, and published in "The German," May 29, 1938. This Catholic priest states that Bruno, a Catholic, stated that he had no law authorizing him to dissolve the sect of "Karpets Bible Students," and that when Hitler came to power, after Bruno, the second episcopate renewed their request. Hitler dissolved the "Karpets Bible Students" (Jehovah's Witnesses) and confiscated their property.

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TELLS OF TRAVELS
IN SOUTH AFRICA

Although the conditions in some parts of the country afforded him many trying experiences in his travels by caravan, Lionel E. Taylor, in an address to the Rotary Club yesterday, expressed the belief that South Africa compares with the Saanich Peninsula as the most beautiful place in the world. Mr. Taylor knows the country well, having spent 10 years in the forestry service there.

The speaker described various places he visited on his trip, the object of which was to collect living plant specimens and to take photographs. One of the main difficulties while traveling in the interior was obtaining water. In one section of a desert inhabitants had not seen one drop of rain in nine years. Other watering places were either stagnant and filled with crocodiles, or so salty that the water was not drinkable.

The caravan drove through the 8,000-square-mile animal reserve of the country. Here lions abound, coming out onto the road to brush up against the car. They are, unless molested, quite harmless, but one is not allowed to get out of his car, even to fix a puncture. In such a case government authorities must be sent for to bring aid. At the time of Mr. Taylor's visit reports showed that over 2,000 lions roamed the area. Recent reports show that the number has increased to 5,000.

The country as a whole, however, is a very delightful and beautiful place, the speaker added. It is very much up to date and many of the cities, including Johannesburg, are the most modern in the world.

Mr. Taylor was introduced and thanked by G. A. Yardley.

OAK BAY PUBLIC
MEETING DEC. 11

Oak Bay Council at its regular meeting last night set December 11 at 8 as the time for the annual public meeting in the Municipal Hall. Reports on 1940 activities of all departments of the municipality will be presented on that date. Candidates for seats on the council will attend and address the gathering.

A report from the municipal engineer and building inspector revealed that Oak Bay has 2,658 various types of buildings within its boundaries. This figure includes those under construction up to October 31. There are 2,556 single-family dwellings, 22 two-family dwellings, 11 apartment houses and three hotels in the municipality, and 12 business blocks, five garages and service stations, 20 stores, two greenhouses, eight schools, three churches, one convent, one theatre, three assembly halls, two golf clubs, one boathouse, one exhibition ground, two farms, three municipal buildings, and a cemetery.

The municipal health officer was authorized to look into unsanitary conditions at the fair grounds. This action was taken following a report from the municipal superintendent to the effect that a "very objectionable" smell had been noticed coming from the large surface drain which serves the fair grounds. "Investigation proved beyond a doubt that the cause of this condition was a stable on the east side of the Exhibition grounds between Estevan Avenue and Kinross Avenue. This stable is occupied by a man and woman who, it seems, make a practice of throwing all their washing and dishwater into an open drain which flows into the surface drain referred to," the report said. Use of oil lamps by these people was a fire risk, the report added.

Councillor William Ellis moved that the health officer make a thorough investigation into the matter and report back to the council. It was pointed out two other stables in the west side were being used as dwellings. Use of stables as dwelling is contrary to regulations of the Provincial Board of Health, councillors said.

Regulations of the Provincial Board of Health, councillors said.

CLUB IN BAD WAY

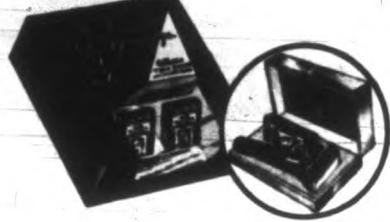
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (AP) — Directors of the fan-owned Chattanooga Baseball Club left to the stockholders yesterday the question of raising enough money to operate next season or selling their Southern Association franchise.

"We are broke and can't go on," said president Joe Engel after a 90-minute conference with directors.

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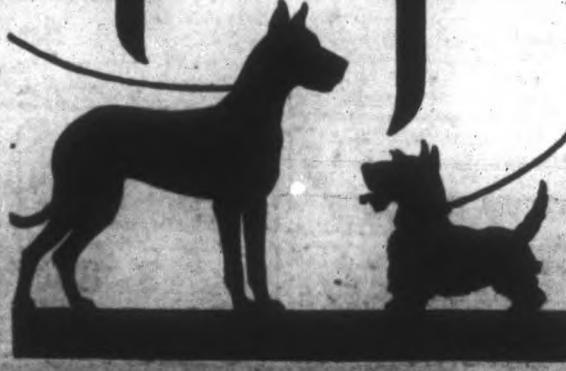
Fly Bomber Across

NEW YORK—The 335-mile-an-hour Douglas Boston or DB7A light bomber is to be ferried across the Atlantic, by air. thing.

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Yesterday the Victoria branch of the Canadian Red Cross called upon the convenor of the Local Council of Women's jam-making committee, Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, for a contribution from the emergency reserve made by this committee during the summer and now stored in the cold storage plant. Mrs. Hopkins, assisted by Miss Molly Llewellyn and Mrs. C. Saunders, went down to the plant and packed 16 cartons, each containing 12 four-pound tins, and these have been sent to Vancouver to be added to a consignment of canned goods from all parts of the province for overseas.

Victoria's donation which represents 768 pounds of the purest home-made jam, includes apple and quince butter, plum and apple jam and marrow jam, which should prove a valuable as well as a delicious addition to the wartime rations of homeless men, women and children in Britain.



WED 55 YEARS—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Whiteley of 1258 Gladstone Avenue, who celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary recently. They were both born in London, England, and were married on November 23, 1885, in Edmonton, and have been residents of Victoria for four years.

'Y' Hostess House At Sidney Soon

The War Services Committee of the Y.W.C.A. have made final plans for the establishment of a Hostess House at Sidney for the men of the Patricia Bay airport, their relatives and friends.

Representatives of the committee met with a group of interested citizens in Sidney, where Miss Mabel Blackley, liaison officer of the Y.W.C.A. for British Columbia, spoke of this new venture as a part of a nation-wide project, which the National Y.W.C.A. had been commissioned by the government to establish.

Y.W.C.A. hostess houses are primarily for relatives and friends visiting the men or living near the camps, but are also used when necessary as a social recreation centre for the men.

Miss Kathleen Exham was introduced by Mrs. E. I. W. Rose, president of the Victoria board of directors, as the hostess who would be in charge of the work at Sidney.

It is the intention of the joint Victoria and Sidney committee to have the hostess house opened as soon before Christmas as possible, and plans are being rushed for the completion of necessary alterations to the Anglican Church Hall, which has been made available for this purpose.

Under the Victoria Y.W.C.A. war services the Sidney hostess house committee consists of the following: Victoria—Mrs. E. I. W. Jardine (chairman), Mrs. J. N. Lennox, Mrs. L. A. Gane, Mrs. B. S. Heisterkamp, Mrs. W. MacAskill, Mrs. F. A. Lindsay, Mrs. A. C. Brand, Mrs. W. H. Molson, Mrs. R. H. McDougall, Miss Sara Spencer, Mrs. S. H. Frame, and Sidney—Mrs. F. J. Baker (co-chairman), Mrs. Jeilson, Mrs. Moody, Mrs. D. M. Perley, Mrs. C. F. Gibson and Mrs. M. Holmes.

Mrs. Fred Doherty and Mrs. Bertucci were joint hostesses at the former's home on Gladstone Avenue last evening in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Whiteley, 1258 Gladstone Avenue, who were married 55 years ago last Saturday. On her arrival Mrs. Whiteley was presented with a beautiful corsage bouquet by Miss Vera James. Mrs. Bertucci contributed piano solos and also accompanied the singing of a number of old favorite songs of the venerable couple. A sit-down supper was served at a flower-centred table. Among the neighbors present were Mr. and Mrs. F. Doherty, Mr. and Mrs. N. Bertucci, Mrs. Vye, Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy and Miss V. James. Mr. and Mrs. Whiteley have eight children, including a son in Saanich, also 17 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

With traditional ceremony, the haggis, borne aloft by C. W. Hawkins, was piped in by Pipe-Major Donald Cameron, and the time-honored address to the haggis was given by Rev. D. A. Smith, Vancouver. Rev. J. L. W. McLean, minister of St. Andrew's, performed the invocation of blessing.

The supper tables were decorated with crystal containers of fall flowers and foliage, while bowls of autumn flowers were effectively massed about the hall.

Mrs. S. Marling and Mrs. E. H. Griffiths were responsible for the artistic floral decorations. The haggis was made by Mrs. W. A. Jameson, and the supper arrangements were in charge of the members of the social committee, Mrs. D. Scott, Mrs. L. W. Johnson, Mrs. M. Hodge, Mrs. T. Taylor, Mrs. G. D. Robertson and Mrs. P. J. Campbell. Members of the guild assisted in serving. Mrs. W. Head was at the receipt of customers.

Mrs. A. Hargreaves, Mrs. J. Logie, Rev. and Mrs. Montague Bruce, and Earl and Bobby Stevens.

Sergeant and Mrs. F. C. B. Allen were "at home" to their many friends on Friday afternoon and evening last on the occasion of their silver wedding anniversary. The refreshment table was centred with a beautiful two-tier wedding cake, topped with a silver vase containing the orange blossoms worn by the bride of 25 years ago. The reception rooms were bright with the many floral gifts to the happy couple. Among the other handsome gifts received were pieces of silverware from the Esquimalt Women's Institute, Catholic Women's League and the Swimming Club. Sergeant and Mrs. Allen were married 25 years ago at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Victoria, by the late Reverend Monsignor Leterme. Mr. Charles H. Williams, the best man, was among the guests at the anniversary reception.

This morning at her home on Runnymede Avenue Mrs. Gordon Cameron was hostess at a small coffee party in compliment to Mrs. J. Adams of Vancouver, who is making her home in Victoria for the time.

Mrs. G. Bath of Vancouver, who has been spending a couple of weeks in Victoria as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. S. Peacock, Finlayson's Avenue, returned home this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Genge are giving a small dinner party on Saturday evening and later taking their guests on to "The Naval Tea" at the Royal Victoria Theatre.

For her songs at the Empress Hotel tea on Saturday afternoon, Peggy Moore, soprano, has chosen "Yesterday and Today" (Sprouse); "Let My Song Fill Your Heart" (Charles); "Clouds" (Charles); "A Heart That's Free" (Robyn); and "Five Eyes" (Gibbs). Mr. Malcolm More will be at the theatre.

Mrs. Hazel Mackenzie, who is to be married shortly, was the guest of honor when Mrs. J. McLean entertained the members of the Venture Club at her home on Foul Bay Road. On her arrival the bride-to-be received a corsage bouquet of pink carnations and fern from the hostess. Later in the evening, Miss Ruth Whiteoak, on behalf of the club, presented Miss Mackenzie with a handsome trillite lamp. After a pleasant evening of bridge and mah jong, supper was served by the hostess. Those present were Mesdames J. McLean, R. Knight, Misses Hazel Mackenzie, Ruth Whiteoak, Janet Graham, Gwyn Spencer, Gertrude Day and Kay Davy.

In honor of Miss Victoria Cross, whose marriage will take place December 4 to Mr. J. Patterson, a miscellaneous shower was held by the girls of the General Warehouse Limited, at the home of Miss Jean Hall, 2625 Graham Street. Upon entering the room the bride-to-be was presented with a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds. The gifts were concealed in a prettily decorated box topped by a miniature model of a boxing ring. Games were enjoyed, the prizewinners being Mrs. Cross, Miss M. Townsend, Miss D. Mills. Also during the evening the bride-to-be played several piano solos, and singing was enjoyed. Later a buffet supper was served from a prettily decorated table. The invited guests included Mesdames Cross, Patterson, R. Gough, F. Howland, H. Earl, M. Hall and Misses Lorna Cross, Mabel Townsend, Margaret Carr, Dorothy Perry, Alicia Farant, Dorothy Shelton, Eva Young, Gladys Argyle, Tora Parker, Violet Thomas, Alma Campbell, Ruth Belcher, Iris Button, Audrey Prior, Agnes Murphy, Doreen Mills, Eileen Worth, Irene Richmond, Lillian Simmonds, Irene Willmott, Margaret Clark, Peggy Davis, Phyllis Neville and Jean Hall.

The infant daughter of Lance-Corporal and Mrs. R. E. Stevens received the name Helen Iris at the christening ceremony conducted by Rev. Montague Bruce at St. John's Church on Sunday afternoon. The baby is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Stevens, Colwood, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Aldorf, Langford, and a great-granddaughter of Mr. Chas. Stevens, Bars Corner, Nova Scotia. Godparents were Mrs. James Logie, Mr. Alan Hargreaves and Dr. L. W. Bassett. She wore a christening robe over 30 years old. After the ceremony her parents entertained the following guests at tea at their home, 3029 Tillicum Road; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Stevens, Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Aldorf, Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Bassett, Subconductor and

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In the title role of Annie is Marjorie Rambeau, who takes up the character where the late and beloved Marie Dressler left her. Captain Bullwinkle, Annie's per-

petual opponent, is played by big bluff and hearty Alan Hale, while Jane Wyman and Ronald Reagan speak up for love and the younger generation.

Walter DeLeon's original screen play is based on the characters created by Norman Reilly Raine.

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STUDENTS VISIT FIRE STATION

Through the kindness of Chief Alex Munro of the City Fire Department the Victoria Night School class in electricity recently paid a most interesting and instructive visit to the fire alarm headquarters situated on the top floor of the City Police Station. The department operator and electrician explained the intricate details of the equipment and its various functions.

The battery room with its many storage cells was first inspected and the facilities for the care and the recharging of the battery explained. The control board, each section of which con-

trols one of the 16 fire alarm circuits, was next explained. The interior workings of a fire alarm box and what happens when "the lever is pulled down once and let go" was thoroughly investigated and great interest was exhibited by the students in this particular piece of equipment. An alarm from one of these boxes was traced to the receiving equipment at headquarters and the various devices for recording the alarm and for transmitting it to the fire hall concerned also explained. A working demonstration of an alarm was given by the electrician, who cut a spare box into one of the circuits by which the operation of the box and the clocks and "jokers" at headquarters could be seen by everyone present.

Quintuplet Visitors

Approximately 1,500,000 persons have visited the Dionne quintuplets. Visitors only are admitted during the summer, when the quints are in their playground.

LONDON CALLING

Hear London direct on short wave. Broadcast in full if your radio is in good condition. Have your Radio Serviceman make a check-up.

WATERPROOF - ANTI-MAGNETIC

UNAFFECTED BY ANY CLIMATE
The ROLEX Oyster Watch is the original and only permanently guaranteed water-proof watch. It is unquestionably the most practical Wrist Watch for military service. See the Wide assortment now on display at leading jewelers.

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Tonight

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U.S. Army Band—KOMO, KPO
Singin' and Swingin'—KJR, KOO
Tango's Music—CBR
Ned Jordan—KOL
Ranger's Cabin—CJQR
Jack Armstrong—KOMO, KPO at 8:15.
Set Sail—KJR, KOO at 8:15.

5:30

Information Please—KOMO, KPO
Bad-Bartin—KJR, KOO
Concert Hall—CJQR
Tom Mix—KJR, KOO at 8:45
Bob Garret's News—KIRO, KNX, KVI
Captain Midnight—KOL at 9:45
Dinner Date—News—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 9:45

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Waltz Time—KOMO, KPO
Dinner Date—KIRO, KNX, KVI
Superman—CBR
Fulton Lovers—KOL
Supper Dance—CBR
News—CBR at 8:15
Sports Review—CJQR at 8:15

6:30

Beverly's Theatre—KOMO, KPO
News—KJR, KOO
Playhouse—KIRO, KNX, KVI
Canadian Theatre—CBR
John Wayne—KOL
Novelty—CBR
News—KJR at 6:45
Easy Aces—CJQR at 6:45

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Wings of Destiny—KOMO, KPO
Conn vs Savold—KJR, KOO
Bob Ripley—KIRO, KNX, KVI
News—CBR, CJQR
Hansel and Gretel—KOL
Wickham Steed—CBR at 7:15
News—KOL at 7:15
Light Up and Listen—CJQR at 7:15

7:30

Alec Templeton—KOMO, KPO
Al Pearce—KIRO, KNX, KVI
BBC Newsreel—CBR

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FILL YOUR GIFT LIST SATURDAY...THE LAST DAY OF THE... Pre-Christmas Sale

Always a Favorite



Flannel ROBES

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Regular 5.98.
Sale price.

So cosy and warm, they suggest relaxation. You'll want one for yourself, and at this special saving they rate high as gifts. Tailored styles with contrasting trims. Wine, green, blue, orchid and rose. Small, medium and large.

FLANNELETTE PYJAMAS
Cozy nightwear in floral flannelette. Trim tailored styles with contrasting trims. Small, medium and large.

Sale price..... 1.46

COTTON PRINT FROCKS
Trig little frocks of colorful cotton prints, and the styles are youthful and flattering. Sizes 14 to 20 and 38 to 44.

Sale price..... 1.00

WOOLLEN UNDIES
Imported and Canadian makes in a broken assortment of styles and sizes. Small and medium only in terrine and white.

Sale price..... 69c

—Lingerie, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

Girls' Smartly-styled

Plaid Dresses

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Really attractive for the well-dressed school miss—the pleated or flared skirts add interest! Trimmed in contrasting colors. Sizes 7 to 14X.

years. Sale price..... 1.00

GIRLS' SKIRTS
Good quality navy blue serge, box pleated on white bodice. Also pure wool tweed and faille hip skirts. Sizes 7 to 14X. Regular 1.98.

Sale price..... 1.66

ALL-WOOL PULLOVERS
Long sleeves, round necks and polo collars with zipper. Sizes 2 to 14 years.

Sale price..... 92c

FLANNELETTE PYJAMAS
Cozy 2-piece styles, tailored and with fancy trims. Sizes 8 to 14 years.

Sale price..... 89c

ESMOND BLANKETS
Soft and cozy blankets for baby. Nursery designs: 30x40 inches. Sale price..... 49c

SHORTHANDING DRESSES
Dainty Volly Dresses with puff sleeves. Lace trimmed and embroidered. White only, with pink or blue ribbon. Sale price..... 89c

EMBROIDERED ROMPERS
French silk crepe, with puffed sleeves and little collars. Maize and blue. Ages to 2 years.

Sale price..... 98c

—Children's Wear, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

She'll Never Have Too
Many Pairs of

"Mystery" Chiffon HOSE

98c

Our Popular 1.50 Line.

High-grade silk from top to toe that will sheath your legs in beauty. 3-thread, 31-gauge chiffon in desirable colors and sizes 8½ to 10½. Your chance to stock up...the imperfections are slight and the savings well worth while!

DULL CREPE HOSIERY
A light, yet good-wearing hose with pleasing dull finish. Every pair is perfect and made of high-grade pure silk. The season's preferred shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Sale price..... 2 pairs 1.90

—Hosiery, Street Floor at THE BAY

EVENING FLOWERS
Beautiful and colorful...a gay gift. Regular 1.25 to 1.50. Pre-Christmas sale price, each..... 49c

AFOOT SOARDS
A scarf to keep warmly under your chin...flat crepe and satin in beautiful floral and conventional designs. Sale price, each..... 59c

—Accessories, Street Floor at THE BAY



LOOSE POWDER COMPACTS

Regular 1.50 Eight American Double Compacts. Bronze finish in three smart designs. Will make an ideal Christmas gift.

Sale price..... 1.29

—Drugs and Cosmetics, Street Floor at THE BAY

English BATH SETS
Reg. 1.50 Bath Cakes and 1.00
Reg. 1.50 Bath Cakes and 1.00
Toilet Soaps. Sale price..... 1.00
Reg. 1.50 4 Bath Cakes, 2 Toilet Soaps and Talc. Sale price..... 1.29

—Drugs and Cosmetics, Street Floor at THE BAY

A Gift He'll Want at a Budget Price

Attractively Patterned or Plain

SHIRTS

92c

Fine English broadcloths, carefully made up in Canada...they're smartly styled to give a man that well-dressed-for-business look! Collar attached or two separate collars. Strongly woven. Sizes 14½ to 16. Assorted sleeve lengths.

MEN'S EXCELLENT WEARING SOCKS

Suitable weights for winter wear...strong-wearing cotton and wool yarns. Each Sock reinforced at heel and toe. Wide choice of patterns and shades. Sizes 10 to 12. Sale price..... 3 pairs 95c

—Men's Furnishing and Luggage, Street Floor at THE BAY

TWIN TRAVEL SETS

New and up to date...an Aeropack and matching Dressing Case. Smartly-styled tweeds in a wonderful range of perfectly-blended colors. Fitted and plain Dressing Cases. Sale price, set..... 17.50

—Men's Furnishing and Luggage, Street Floor at THE BAY



9 a.m. SPECIALS

No Phone Mail Orders

MEN'S COMBINATIONS
Prisman's No. 71...well known for wear wear. Long sleeves and ankle length. Sizes 30 to 32 and 32 to 34. Sale price..... 1.39

MEN'S TWEEDS
Prisman's Preferred...long for wear wear. Long sleeves. Ankle length. Sizes 30 to 32 and 32 to 34. Sale price..... 2.29

MEN'S DRAWERS
Britannia make All-wool yarns. Ankle length. Sizes 30 to 32 and 32 to 34. Sale price..... 2.29

BOYS' ALL-WOOL SWEATERS
Finely knit in pullover style with V-neck. Plain shades or contrasting trim. Sizes 30 to 32 and 32 to 34. Sale price..... 98c

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—Children's Wear, Street Floor at THE BAY

MEN'S WORK TROUSERS
Heavy quality whipcord. Full-fitting sizes. Dark shades. Made to measure. Grey shades. Sizes 30 to 32 and 32 to 34. Sale price..... 1.49

MEN'S TWEED SUITS
Dark shades in styles for men and young men. Sizes 30 to 32 and 32 to 34. Sale price..... 8.95

—Men's and Boys' Wear, Street Floor at THE BAY

BOYS' BROADCLOTH SHIRTS
Serviceable wearing for school. Full-fitting sizes in fast colors. Sizes 12 to 14½. Sale price..... 49c

BOYS' WORK TROUSERS
Serviceable trousers for school. Carefully tailored in good shades of grey, brown and navy. Sizes 30 to 32 and 32 to 34. Sale price, pair..... 2.79

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Charge Against Constable Refuted

Charge that John Cameron, former Vancouver police chief, was linked with the underworld while a provincial constable at Zeballos was made in the B.C. Legislature last night by E. E. Winch, C.C.F. Burnaby.

The charge was denied by Attorney-General Wismer, who in heated words denied Mr. Winch was grossly unfair to attack a man who had given 30 years' police service to the province and had no chance to defend himself.

"Some time ago I asked the Attorney-General 'Is John Cameron not still a provincial constable?' The answer was 'Yes,'" Mr. Winch said. "I am surprised. He has had a varied career in

various police forces and there is some question as to his suitability."

"I am informed," he went on, "that the force itself is somewhat perturbed as to his being a member. They feel he seriously detracts from the force's prestige." OFFERS "REPORT"

Mr. Winch referred to a "report" which he said he would furnish the Attorney-General, relating to Cameron's activities at Zeballos.

"The statement is made that he was linked with the underworld there. I am certainly justified in saying that if this is true he has no right to be on the force," he said.

Mr. Wismer waxed passionate in his denial.

"Here's a man," he declared, "who has been chief of New Westminster and chief of Vancouver

"There has never been a charge laid or proved against him. He lost his position in Vancouver through political manoeuvring, after he had given 30 years of his life to the public. To think he should be attacked in this House in this manner, when he has no chance to defend himself," he continued.

"I don't believe a word that has been said of his actions at Zeballos. It is true I have had anonymous letters. Ordinarily I would have taken no notice, but at my request the commissioner of police investigated the charges personally and found not a word of truth in them."

SPECIAL DUTY

"Cameron is now in Vancouver and I am told that in the special line of investigation he is pursuing he is one of the best men we have.

"I don't think it right that his reputation should be ruined. He'll never catch up with the remarks you have made here. There was never a better chief of police in Vancouver than Cameron, and now because a certain gentleman wanted to be elected mayor, his name is mud."

The Attorney-General shouted at Mr. Winch:

"Do you want me to throw him into the gutter and let his family starve?"

Mr. Winch, after Liberal applause subsided, said he valued his integrity as much as Mr. Wismer valued Cameron's.

"I would not have brought this charge were I not sure of my ground. If I am proved wrong, I will retract on the floor of this House. I have a document here which I think supports me. I will supply a copy of it to the Attorney-General, and — yes — to the Premier."

Mr. Bruhn said Dr. Macdonald was doing his utmost to have all the roads through the Okanagan country.

This charge Dr. Macdonald vigorously denied. He quoted from a letter he said Mr. Bruhn had written to persons in Salmon Arm, to this effect:

"That was not the act of a Britisher — no Britisher would have done it," the Minister declared.

He went on to say Mr. Bruhn was minister of public works in a most sordid period, "full of corruption."

"Does the honorable minister say I was corrupt?" — I defy him to mention any corruption while I was in office," Mr. Bruhn said.

"I want him to withdraw that statement. Does he accuse me of any corruption?"

"Not all," Dr. Macdonald replied; later adding, "I didn't accuse you of any corruption."

Mr. Bruhn asked the minister to produce the letter in question.

"Get the letter, bring it down here, let us have it in the open —

At one point Dr. Macdonald told Mr. Bruhn to keep quiet, and later Mr. Bruhn said to the minister: "You're crazy; you don't know what you're talking about."

Following this heated exchange most of the members asked for more road money.

Premier Pattullo summed up the government's attitude when he said: "We've more bread than we've butter."

Mr. Maitland said a snake would break its back traveling the road from Quesnel to Wells.

Hon. C. S. Leary, Minister of Public Works, said there was no cut or dried policy on roads, the government must do the best it could in the interests of the general public.

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He mentioned it when J. A. Paton, Conservative, Point Grey, raised the question of completing the Hope-Princeton Road.

"We are just as anxious as the

honorable member to see the

Hope-Princeton Road completed,"

the Premier said, adding that no

doubt this project would be in-

cluded in any federal plans.

Hon. C. S. Leary, Minister of

Public Works, revealed the gov-

ernment has options on some

buildings in Vancouver as pro-

spective government offices. He

announced this when Harold

Winch, C.C.F. leader, protested

against \$30,000 being paid for

rentals of offices in Vancouver

and large amounts in Victoria,

and suggested the government

should get its own building, pos-

sibly by picking them up from

mortgages.

Mayor Lyle Telford said the

government might use the old

Vancouver Hotel which it is pre-

pared to tear down.

IN WAR, AS IN PEACE, CANADA'S CHARTERED BANKS MAINTAIN, UNINTERUPTED, THEIR USEFUL SERVICES — SAFEGUARDING DEPOSITORS' FUNDS; FACILITATING THE NATION'S BUSINESS — LOOKING FORWARD TO PEACE WITH FREEDOM AS THE ONLY SURE BASIS OF ENDURING PROSPERITY.

THE CHARTERED BANKS OF CANADA

They'll Do It Every Time



URGES BLOOD TESTS

"It is absolutely criminal, a living tragedy, to allow children to be born into the world infected with venereal disease," said Dr. J. Lyle Telford, Independent, Vancouver East, in the Legislature yesterday in speaking of a bill submitted by Mrs. Laura E. Jamieson, C.C.F., Vancouver Centre, that would make it compulsory for doctors to give blood tests to all pregnant women in their care.

"Who's going to pay for it?" asked Attorney-General S. Wismer.

Many people think that backache is a trouble that comes naturally with advancing years, but this woman of 71 proves that it is not.

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Mrs. Dorothy Steeves, C.C.F., Vancouver North, charged that persons were circulating petitions for a beer plebiscite at Cranberry Lake and were paid 10 cents a name for each signature they got. They stood so low as to get signatures from minors, she charged.

Mr. Wismer said he did not see how the practice could be stopped. In any event, he added, it had been the practice to grant no plebiscites for beer since the war began.

Mrs. Dorothy Steeves, C.C.F., Vancouver North, said the law would be particularly timely now, since so many marriages were taking place, many of them in haste. The precaution of tests, she said, could be taken with very little trouble.

Samuel Guthrie, C.C.F., Cowichan-Nelson, and E. E. Winch, C.C.F., Burnaby, supported the

plan. Herbert Anscomb, Conservative, Victoria, said he didn't know very much about such things and asked the advice of medical men in the House.

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Corruption Charges Cause Fiery Words

Drug Problem Stirs House

A suggestion that British Columbia might adopt Chinese methods of dealing with drug addicts — give them six months to quit the habit, and then shoot them if they don't — was made to the B.C. Legislature, Thursday, by G. M. Murray, Liberal, Lillooet, after E. E. Winch, C.C.F., Burnaby, had demanded a better course of treatment for addicts in Kakala prison. There are 35 addicts in the prison now.

Attorney-General Wismer, whose estimates were being considered at the time, said there were many reforms he would like to make, if money were available.

"But the newspapers and the Opposition say we should cut down expenses. This would cost a great deal of money and the sum we have are barely sufficient to carry on essential services," he said.

Mrs. H. D. Smith, Liberal, Bur-

lard, told the House the best

authorities said that seven years

was the minimum period for suc-

cessful treatment of drug addicts.

It required special institutions.

"Christian civilization, it seems

to me, can go too far," Mr. Mur-

ray declared. "There is too much

maudlin sentimentality about

this. Most of these addicts can't

be reclaimed, and we only waste

money in cures."

R. W. Bruhn, Conservative, Salmo Arm, also criticized the present form of liquor permit.

The law required its endorsement

on the back every time a pur-

chase was made at a liquor store.

This was never done. He thought

it unnecessary anyway, and re-

commended the U.S. system of

signing a card. He had got one

of these cards in Spokane re-

cently, he said, offering to show

it to Mr. Wismer.

Hon. John Hart: "What kind of

liquor do they have down there?"

Mr. Bruhn: "Pretty good. I

don't want my honorable friends

to come in here."

Premier Pattullo summed up the government's attitude when he said: "We've more bread than we've butter."

Mr. Maitland said a snake

would break its back traveling

the road from Quesnel to Wells.

Hon. C. S. Leary, Minister of

Public Works, said there was no

cut or dried policy on roads, the

government must do the best it

could in the interests of the gen-

eral public.

Dr. Macdonald rather than build

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TOWN TOPICS

The annual meeting of the Guild will take place on Tuesday evening next at 8 on headquarters, 1126 Richardson Street.

The Beau Arts Society reported to police yesterday that the Duchess Street fire hall, used as a headquarters by the organization, was broken into and ransacked. Nothing was reported missing.

The motorist who beat a parking charge in City Police Court yesterday by using his dentist as an alibi had some of the sweetness taken out of his triumph when he was fined in the same court on a similar charge.

Reconsideration of the City Council's action in announcing termination of the services of Elliott, Maclean and Shandley as city counsel at the end of the year is sought in a letter from H. A. Maclean, K.C., received yesterday at the City Hall.

A meeting of the Shantymen's Christian Association will be held tomorrow evening at 8 to hear John L. Davey, who is on his way to Martinique to represent the World-wide Evangelization Crusade of which the late C. T. Studd was the founder. Lantern slides will be shown.

Two motorists whom Constable George Clayards testified he paced along over 40 miles an hour were fined \$10 each in City Police Court today. A Chinese who was operating a business without a trades license was fined \$10 and \$1 costs. Two motorists paid \$5 each for not having a driver's license. Nine were fined \$2.50 each for over-parking.

Kinsmen Club officers elected for 1941 at a meeting of the club last night follow: President, Harold Winterburn; secretary, William Passmore; treasurer, Geoff Fatt; registrar, Hugh Francis; directors, Herbert Sabiston, William Dillabough and Tyson Dick.

Damages were awarded John O'Connor, James Reside and Margaret Reside by Judge H. H. Shandley in County Court yesterday against George Burrows, one of three defendants in an action arising from a motor car collision at the Fairfield-Cook Street intersection on September 3. Judge Shandley reserved his decision on the amount of the damages and on the liability of Edith J. and Robert M. Burrows, parents of the other defendant.

George Henderson, secretary of the Relief Project Workers' Union at a meeting in Vancouver yesterday said that in addition to

1,000 Homeless Men Roam Vancouver Island

When Mayor Lyle Telford admitted the problem was not serious and Minister of Labor George Pearson said the government would help as soon as Vancouver submitted a definite plan for relief, the Legislature last night refused to debate the problem of transient unemployed men in Vancouver.

They were continually arriving in each string of boxcars which chugged into Vancouver, Mr. Henderson said.

He was unable to cite exact figures as to the number arriving in the city. One day, he said, 475 drifted into Vancouver. On other days the total was under 1,000.

According to the union official, 75 per cent of the men were domiciled in British Columbia or had drawn relief in the province in past years. Many of them hoped to find a place in war-expanded industry. In this they had been disappointed.

"We want a rehabilitation plan which would result in employment," Mr. Henderson continued. "In the meantime we feel that relief and training should be provided."

Recruiting had absorbed a few of the unemployed but the demand now was for skilled craftsmen and for men in top physical condition. Most of the single unemployed could not find a place in either category.

The suggestion was advanced, but not officially, that the needs might be met by placing the men in training camps for an immediate four-month training period.

Overnight Entries For Bay Meadows

First race—One mile, Creek Mortgage, 100m. 1st, Little Devil 11, Starman 12, Manx 13, Kirby 14, Deafie 15, Yankee Colonel 16, Has Trache 17, Nasby 18, 2nd, Barance 19.

Second race—Mile and a sixteenth, Appleton 11, Mile and a sixteenth, Apperton 12, Mile and a sixteenth, Top Billing 13, Craig Token 14, Rainbearer 15, Budgie 16, Glad Hand 16, Vaidina 17, Wilson 18, 2nd, Martin 19, Wilson Jr. 20, Elmer 21, Rain Bear 22.

Third race—Mile and three-sixteenths, Eddie Along 10, Prediction 11, Rodney 12, One Mile, Wild Oak 13, Royal Article 14, First race—One mile, Treasure Island 10, Reckless 10, Bearded 10, High Strike 11, Longshot 12, Pagan 13, Hatch 14, Sigmar 15.

Fourth race—One mile, Intuition 11, Isometric 11, Single Wing 11, Brown 12, Sun 13, Weev 14, Wild Oak 14, Real Article 15, First race—One mile, Treasure Island 10, Reckless 10, Bearded 10, High Strike 11, Longshot 12, Pagan 13, Hatch 14, Sigmar 15.

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth, Lucia 11, Sun 12, Weev 13, Wild Oak 14, Reckless 15, Bearded 16, High Strike 17, Longshot 18, Pagan 19, Hatch 20, Sigmar 21, Mimosa 22, Kai-hi 23.

Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth, Dandy 10, Triplane 10, Omlet 10, Diver 10, Cliff 10, Flare 10, Aster 11, Argistol 11, Tangled 10, Tangled 11, Caddie Cat 10, Bare 10, Bunny 10.

Eighth race—Four miles, Scepter 11, Bonnie Bee 11, Nellie 11, Flying Hostess 11, Sweet 11, Trickster 10, Count McLuke 10.

The Council of Social Agencies on Wednesday evening at 8 in the Young Men's Christian Association, Blanshard and View Streets, will discuss the subject, "Accommodation for the Wives and Families of Men in the Armed Forces." Miss Creaser of the Victorian Order of Nurses, will introduce the subject, which is causing much concern among the social agencies in the city.

A coroner's jury under E. C. Hart brought in a verdict of accidental death at an inquest this morning at Thomson's Funeral Home on the death of Roland Wilson Sr., 74, of 2641 Cadboro Bay Road, who died in hospital Wednesday from pneumonia, an indirect result of injuries received in an accident on November 20. The jury recommended that improvements should be made in the condition of the sidewalk and the lighting at the scene of the accident. Wilson was struck by a car driven by Thomas Mercer, Ten Mile Point, on Cadboro Bay Road, near the intersection of Todd Road.

SHEPPARD — Isaac John Sheppard, aged 90, formerly of Cobble Hill, died in this city yesterday. He was born in England and had been a resident of the province for 54 years. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1.15 in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel. Rev. Hugh McLeod will conduct the service. Interment at St. John's churchyard, Cobble Hill, Rev. E. M. Willis officiating at the grave site.

CLARE — Walter Matthew Clare died yesterday at 647 Cormorant Street, aged 47. He was born in Kent, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for 28 years. He served overseas in the Great War, and was a member of Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, and of Court Camosun Lodge, A.O.F. Funeral services will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 in St. Alban's Church, Rev. F. Conley officiating. Interment at Colwood. McCall Bros. have charge of arrangements.

MCLENNAN — Rev. William Allan and Rev. J. Dewar conducted funeral service yesterday morning at Burygoine United Church, Salt Spring Island, for Mrs. Elizabeth McLennan. The following acted as pallbearers: Alfred Ruckie, Henry Ruckie, Frank Reynolds, Tom Patterson, Fred Patterson and Gavin Mount. Sandra Mortuary was in charge of arrangements.

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Obituaries**J. W. GIVENS PASSES**

John Walter Givens, sales manager of J. H. Todd and Sons, died this morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital in his 62nd year. He was born in Lanark County, Ont., and came to Victoria in 1903. He joined the firm of J. H. Todd and Sons in 1915, and for many years was accountant. His residence was at 1224 Fairfield Road. Funeral services will be held at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Monday afternoon at 2, Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiating. Interment at Ross Bay.

KRAUS FESSEL — The funeral of Mme. Meta Kraus Fessel took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday and was attended by many of her friends. Cremation at Royal Oak followed.

RUSSELL — John Russell of 1775 Ross Street died yesterday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, aged 93. He was born in Scotland and came to this city 12 years ago. Funeral services will be held at the Thomson Funeral Home tomorrow afternoon at 3.30, Rev. James Hood officiating. Cremation at Royal Oak.

WILSON — Rev. George Biddle will conduct service at the Thomson Funeral Home tomorrow afternoon at 2 for Rowland Wilson, Sr. Interment at Ross Bay.

SMITH — Sidney Smith, aged 62, died Tuesday after a lengthy illness. He was born in Staffordshire, England, and had resided in this city for over 20 years. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at Duncan. Interment in Mountain View Cemetery.

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Announcements

DEATHS

SHEPPARD—There passed away in this city on Thursday, November 28, Isaac John Sheppard, aged 80 years, formerly of Cobble Hill, V.I. The late Mr. Sheppard was born in England and had been a resident of the province for the last 46 years. He is survived by his widow, one son, Harry Sheppard, of Vancouver.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock in McCallum's Funeral Chapel, Rev Hugh MacLeod will conduct the service and interment will be at St John's Churchyard, Cobble Hill. Rev E. M. Willis officiating at the graveside.

CLARK—On Thursday, November 28, at 847 Cormorant Street, Walter Mathew Clark aged 47 years. The late Mr. Clark was born in Kent, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for the last 28 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bruce Bridges, with whom he resided; two sisters and two brothers in England; and two brothers in Australia. He served overseas in the First Great War and was a member of British Legion Canadian Branch, also Court Captain Lodge, A.O.T.

The remains are resting at McCallum's Funeral Home and funeral services will be held on Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock in St. John's Church. Rev F. Condie will conduct the service and interment will be at the graveside.

PILLER—At her residence 476 Sturdee Street, Esquimalt, on November 28, 1940, Miss Caroline Matilda Piller aged 80 years, born in England and a resident of Victoria for 27 years. Survived by her husband, Mr. W. B. Piller, a former Royal Canadian Air Force pilot, and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in McCallum's Funeral Chapel. Canon F. A. P. Chisholm will conduct the service and interment will be at the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

GIVENS—At St. Joseph's Hospital on November 28, 1940, Madeline John Givens of 1900 Laurel Lane, widow of Robert Givens, born in Tilloon, Ont. and a resident of Victoria for 27 years. Survived by his wife, a home two brothers, Mr. and Mrs. G. Givens, and Lyle R. Givens of Portland, Ore., and one sister, Mrs. J. G. Monteith of San Jose, Calif.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in McCallum's Funeral Chapel on Monday at 2 p.m. Rev W. G. Wilson, D.D. officiating. Cremation at Royal Oak.

HALL-WRIGHT—On November 28, 1940, Adela Mary Ann Hall-Wright of 1303 Balfour Street, widow of James Hall-Wright, deceased, in Esquimalt, survived by two sons, Harry W. Olsen of Hartford, Conn., and H. E. Hall-Wright, Victoria, three daughters, Mrs. Vida Cooper and Miss Beatrice Hall-Wright, both of New York; also 12 grandchildren.

The remains are resting in Haywards' B.C. Funeral Chapel and the funeral will be held on Monday at a time to be announced. Interment will be at the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

GOWEN—On November 28, 1940, of 1606 of his residence, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Gowen, retired rector of Church of Our Lord, aged 74 years; born in Northumbria, London, England, and had been a resident of Victoria since 1915. Survived by one daughter, Mrs. Alfred Stinson, Victoria; two sons, G. M. and C. V. Gowen, Victoria; one brother, Rev. the Oldest G. C. Gowen, Vancouver; and one sister, Mrs. Lucy Gowen, Victoria. Also a son, Mr. G. G. Gowen, who is a member of the G.O.G.F. and the Orange Lodge.

The funeral will be held on Saturday, December 5, at 2 p.m. in the Church of Our Lord, and the interment will be held at the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Announcements

(Continued)

DEATHS

WILSON—The death occurred on November 27 at Royal Jubilee Hospital of Mr. Howland Wilson, aged 74 years, a native of Longborough, England. The late Mr. Wilson, born in Victoria, died after 30 years, late residence, 2641 Cadboro Bay Road. He is survived by one son, Mr. William Wilson, Jr., two grandchildren, in Victoria; one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Thomson, Brighton, Mass., and one brother, Charles H. Wilson, Brighton, Eng.

Funeral services have been arranged to take place from the Thomson Funeral Home on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock and interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

RUSSELL—Passed away on November 28 at St. John's Hospital, Mr. Russell, aged 83 years, a native of Scotland and a resident of Victoria for 13 years, late residence, 100 St. John Street. The late Mr. Russell is survived by three sons, John, Thomas, also of Victoria, and William, Bellingham, Wash., and one daughter, Mrs. Helen Stine, residing in New Zealand, and Mrs. Jean Blue, who resides in Brooklyn, New York. Funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. in the Thompson Funeral Home. Rev James Head will officiate, after which the remains will be cremated at the Royal Oak Crematorium.

FERNHILL—Funeral services for the late Mr. Fernhill will be held on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in McCallum's Funeral Chapel, Capt. the Rev O. A. Reynolds will conduct the service and interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

FARNINGTON—At St. John's Hospital on Thursday morning, November 28, there passed away at the age of 81 years Stanley Farnington of North Douglas Street, born in Bristol, England, the late Mr. Farnington, a native of Victoria, for the last five years, living in Vancouver for 35 years before coming here. There remain to support the widow, Mrs. Farnington, and the residence, sons and daughters in Vancouver, B.C.

The remains are resting at the chapel of the Royal Jubilee Hospital and the funeral will take place on Monday December 2 at Rev F. W. Mckinnon will officiate. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SCAPE—At Royal Jubilee Hospital on November 28, 1940, William Scape, aged 70 years, a resident of Kankakee County, Ill., U.S.A. and a resident of Victoria for 68 years. The late Mr. Scape, with his wife, Mrs. Scape, Robert, John, of Nanaimo, and David Austin of Lansdowne, our daughters, Mrs. Olson, Mrs. Brain and Mrs. MacLean, and our seven grandchildren, two brothers, D. J. Blake, Victoria and T. A. Blake of Craigflower, Victoria, and a son, Mr. H. Blake, Victoria. Mrs. Debbie, Victoria and Mrs. Barker, Saanich. The late Mr. Scape was a member of Prince Edward Island Lodge, A.O.T. Funeral on Saturday leaving forwards B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1:45 p.m. when joined by Rev. Mr. C. G. Campbell, Rev. Mr. Monger, A. O. Baker, V.O. G. V. Interment in Colwood Burial Park. Prayers for the repose of the soul of Mr. Scape will be offered in the chapel this evening at 8:30 p.m.

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That would be true if we spoke only of land animals, but it isn't true in regard to all animals. There are animals in the ocean today which are larger than any of the olden dinosaurs.



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ANSWER: The one we live on... the earth

Boots and Her Buddies



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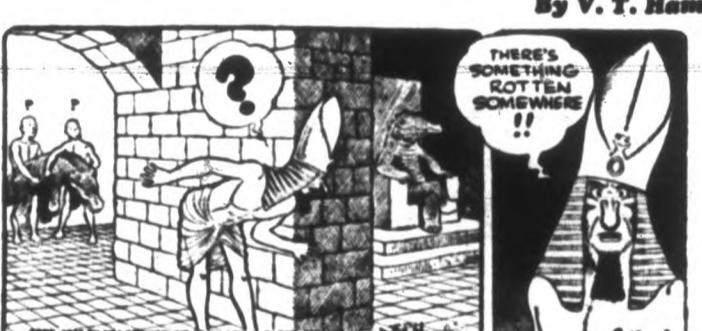
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Freckles and His Friends



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Scratching Up Father



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By George McManus

HOROSCOPE

Saturday, November 30

Adverse planetary aspects dominate on this last day of the month. There may be much discontent and unrest under this rule of the stars. Treachery and double-dealing are indicated in international affairs.

Women may be irritable and unhappy under this sway which encourage mental depression. As the stars presage for wives and mothers the supreme task of keeping the homes of the land up to standard while menfolk are on war service, strength of purpose is imperative.

Importers who have lost the sources of the merchandise in which they deal are to profit through the establishment of industries, wiped out in Europe, here on this continent. Ancient arts and handicrafts will be taught. Glassware of rare beauty will be manufactured, as will the perfumes for which France has been long famous.

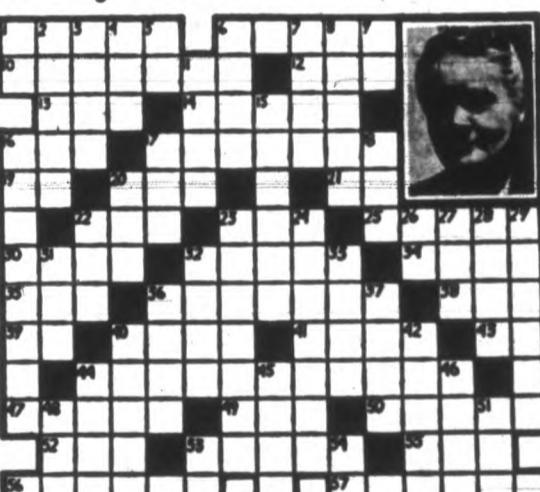
Patriotism expressed in acts instead of words will be means of helping the Empire at this time when it is easy to criticize. The need of personal sacrifice must be recognized as economies are necessary for taxpayers.

Hitler is said to have had five astrologers, one of whom died mysteriously. He is said to have timed each of his astonishingly successful acts of aggression by the stars, which now are not so promising, and are believed to be the cause for certain changes of his terrible plans, announced, but unfulfilled. Marshal Herman Goering also has an astrologer. Goering's stars are said to be more propitious than those of Hitler.

Persons whose birthdate is this have the augury of a year of unexpected experiences. Elderly relatives may be difficult.

Children born on this day probably will be emotional and im-

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL noises. (abbr.)

47 To question. 2 Fervor.

49 Constellation. 3 Fenor bar.

50 Winter precipitations. 4 Little devil.

51 Coin. 5 Standard type measure.

52 Erects. 6 Association.

53 Body of water. 7 Genuine.

54 She was a native of —. 8 Bay.

55 Discoverer. 9 Electric unit.

56 She was a wife of God of love.

57 Wrinkled. 10 Radium.

58 She was a native of —.

59 Her two daughters are also — or celebrated.

60 Adam's mate. 11 Caterpillar hair.

61 Sprite. 12 Uncommon.

62 Caterpillars. 13 Threadlike line.

63 Intelligence. 14 To blind.

64 Russian mountains.

65 Agent. 15 Opposed to con.

66 Strife. 16 Indians.

67 Accomplish. 17 Spanish (abbr.).

68 Made shrill. 18 Thus.

69 Seal. 19 Beam.

70 Polyester. 20 Family of cone shells.

71 Dendrite. 21 Normal.

72 Dendrite. 22 Musical note.

73 Dendrite. 23 Wayside hotel.

74 Dendrite. 24 Provisions.

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Salaries of the private secretary, assistant private secretary and clerks amounted to \$5,598 and office expenses were \$1,585. Salaries of the head gardener, assistant gardener and house keeper amounted to \$3,480.

Fuel, light and water totaled \$3,699, bills in this regard being paid as follows: B.C. Electric Railway Company, \$1,729; W. L. Morgan Fuel Company, \$1,580; City of Victoria, \$717.

Other bills paid were those of \$507 to the Standard Furniture Company, \$249 to David Spencer Limited and \$483 to Brown's Victoria Nurseries.

ISLAND ROAD VOTES

Out of \$1,056,000 allocated to maintenance of roads in British Columbia next year, \$164,000 is allocated to Vancouver Island ridings in the estimates passed yesterday by the Legislature.

There are few changes in the district road votes. Appropriations for the Island ridings are as follows: Alberni-Nanaimo, \$37,500; Comox, \$37,500; Cowichan-Newcastle, \$31,000; Esquimalt, \$31,000; The Islands, \$15,000, and Saanich, \$13,000.

Largest single appropriation is \$64,420 for the sprawling Cariboo riding. Second largest is Kaslo-Slocan, \$48,500. Smallest is a \$5,000 allotment for country

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA 8 a.m. today. The storm of yesterday has passed. Barometric pressure remains high off the California coast. The weather has been unsettled and mild throughout the day. There was some rain in the interior and rain on the coast. Subzero temperature is reported in Saskatchewan.

Victoria Barometer 29.79 temperature max 49 min 44 wind 35 miles E.W. precip. 63 clear.

Victoria Barometer 29.77 temperature max 48 min 45 wind 19 miles E.W. precip. 22 clear.

Prince Rupert Barometer 29.73 temperature max 48 min 45 wind 5 miles E.W. precip. 14 fair.

Banff Barometer 30.00 temperature max 63 min 48 calm fair.

Station	Max.	Min.
Victoria	49	44
Vancouver	48	42
New Westminster	47	42
Prince Rupert	46	39
Dawson	50	42
Port Alberni	50	42
Portland	50	42
San Francisco	53	42
Kamloops	52	37
Prince George	52	38
Keewatin	37	38
Penticton	36	30
Vernon	36	30
Spokane	36	30
Kate	31	17
Calgary	31	17
Edmonton	31	17
Princes Albert	24	14
Regina	8	6
Saskatoon	27	18
Toronto	27	13
Ottawa	26	13
St. John	26	15
Halifax	25	25

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Modern Music Blends With Old Favorites

By S.F.B.

Dr. N. Sokoloff is unique among the artists who visit Victoria in that he refuses to believe that we are Victorian in fact as well as in name. By this I mean that he has the courage to play music written since 1900 to an audience which enjoys it with such obvious pleasure. As a result the Royal Victoria Theatre last night witnessed the rare occurrence of an audience throwing constraint to the winds and calling for encores from a symphony orchestra—in this instance the Seattle Symphony Orchestra. The audience was rewarded with sparkling performances of four additional works of the highest merit, one of which was an arrangement of "I'm Seventeen Come Sunday," an English folk song, by the English composer, Vaughan Williams. Dr. Sokoloff introduced the Vaughan Williams "London Symphony," and also Arnold Bax's symphony to American audiences, and hopes to play the "London Symphony" here next year, if circumstances permit. We look forward eagerly to the event.

The program included Beethoven's overture Leonore No. 3, from the "New World Symphony," by Dvorak, "Les Preludes," by Liszt, and two poems, "Winter and Spring," by the contemporary Swiss American composed, Ernest Bloch.

The Leonore overture was played with the precision that one associates with Weingartner, but with a little more warmth of color. The two lovely poems by Bloch are comparatively early works and do not reveal the complexities and acerbities of the composer's later works. Some passages, especially the closing bars of spring, reminded me in a curious way of the richness of Delius. Perhaps the common contact both men had with American life has something to do with this.

ORCHESTRA AT ITS BEST

The Dvorak symphony and Liszt's "Les Preludes" revealed the orchestra at its best, but also showed its weaknesses, which to such a fine body must be evident to themselves. The brass section had a curious habit of alternating between the full round quality which characterizes the English orchestras, and the brassy tone favored by the European orchestras. The trumpets especially cut into the tonal balance until the closing bars of "Les Preludes," which were a model of perfection.

The horn playing could hardly be improved upon. The wood wind section, like the brass, has improved beyond all recognition,

although there seemed to be a lack of balance in the bassoons, except in the thinly scored passages.

The strings still have the tendency to relax their vigilance when it comes to rapidly repeated notes and trills, always the test of technical efficiency, and there is also a hardness of tone quality in the cello section.

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claim to be able to write lovely melodies when he chooses. The same can be said of Tchaikovsky. The main, haunting theme of Les Preludes has a curious similarity in its emotional force as the melody which Dvorak uses in his slow movement, known to all as "Going Home," and several of Tchaikovsky's melodies. It is a tune which can be recalled and lingered over whenever the mood calls for it. The orchestra crowned a brilliant evening with a fine performance of this work.

This music has an inherent quality in it which easily strikes a responsive mood in the listener, and

the sensitive reading of Dr. Sokoloff relayed by the orchestra to last night's audience brought the house to its feet in well deserved tribute to a fine conductor and orchestra.

SOLISTS

Dr. Sokoloff was generous with his encores and in one of them, the prelude to Saint-Saens' "Deluge," the concert master, Fritz Seidl, had the solo part in an arrangement for strings only. It was his first appearance here with the orchestra, and his performance revealed a complete mastery of technique, warmth of tone, and a sensitive mind.

Coupled with him should be mentioned Witney Trustan, the first oboe player; Leslie Davis for a sensitive English horn performance in the slow movement of Dvorak's symphony, and Alvin Sharott for consistently beautiful horn playing throughout the entire program.

We need more visits of this fine body of players, if only for the reason that these occasions afford us an opportunity of hearing an orchestra at first hand. There is no comparison between the finest reproduction of orchestral tone and the real thing, and the long intervals that elapse

between these opportunities inevitably leads to the deterioration of appreciation of the true qualities of orchestral tone color.

The other encore numbers were: "Trepak," from Tchaikovsky's "Casse Noisette" suite, and the Brahms' "Hungarian Dance."

STRAWBERRY VALE
A successful tea and sale of work was held Wednesday afternoon under auspices of Wilkinson Road United Church W.A. at the parsonage, Glyn Road. Stalls were supervised by Mrs. M. Ramsey, Mrs. A. Allison and Mrs. A. F. Marconi.

BANANAS Golden Ripe, Medium Size	2 lbs.	15¢	EDWARDS MATCHED FLAVOR PROMISES MARVELOUS COFFEE
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GRAPES Emperors 3 lbs.	25¢	LEMONS Large Bunkist, doz.	20¢
Potatoes No. 2, Kamloops Gems	10 lbs.	20¢	EGGS Grade "A" Large . . . doz. 39¢
CABBAGE No. 1, Local, Solid, White	1 lb.	3¢	Marmalade EMPRESS Pure Orange 4-lb. tin. 35¢
TURNIPS No. 1, Mainland, Sweet	10 lbs.	23¢	CHEESE BORDEN'S CANADIAN Economy pkg. 50¢
ONIONS No. 1, Okanagan, Hard	4 lbs.	15¢	LARD SWIFT'S PURE SILVERLEAF 1-lb. cartons. 2 for 15¢
CARROTS OR BEETS—Fresh, Tender, bunches	3 for	5¢	Red Brand Beef

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ROASTS	20¢	T-BONE ROASTS, lb. 27¢
WING RIB		ROLLED RIB. 29¢
RUMPS		PORTERHOUSE ROASTS, lb. 29¢
		SHELLBONE ROASTS, lb. 29¢
		2¢ a lb. Off All Meats Displayed Saturday, 9 to 10 a.m. (Smoked Meats Not Included)

OATS 25¢	Swans Down 21¢	VEAL LEGS Shank end, lb. 18¢
Soups 19¢	Tomatoes 11¢	SHOULDERS Neck half, lb. 15¢
Crax 19¢	Walnuts 29¢	RUMPS Veal, lb. 25¢
Crisco 55¢	Bakeasy 19¢	LAMB Whole, lb. 28¢
	Shortening 1-lb. carton, 2 for 19¢	SHOULDERS Whole, lb. 18¢
		BACON 14-lb. each 14¢
		PICNIC Shoulder, lb. 17¢
		Cottage Rolls Whole, lb. 25¢

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